

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Jeffrey D Pylant	Docket No.: 29606.010200
Serial No.: 09/696,193	Confirmation No.: 4111
Filing Date: October 26, 2000	Art Unit: 3691
Title: BUYER-DRIVEN PURCHASING LOYALTY SYSTEM AND METHOD USING AN ELECTRONIC NETWORK	Examiner: HAMILTON, Lalita M

RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.111

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the outstanding office action in the referenced application, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.